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Enclosed herewith are the necessary papers for filing the following application for Letters Patent:

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Title

ELECTRONIC COMPONENT HAVING MICROSCOPICALLY

SMALL CONTACT AREAS AND METHOD FOR FABRICATING IT

6 sheets of formal drawings in triplicate.

A check in the amount of \$ 1,268.00 covering the filing fee.

This application is being filed without a signed oath or declaration under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.53(d) and in a foreign language (without a translation) under 37 CFR 1.52(d). Applicants await notification of the date by which the oath or declaration, the English-language translation and the surcharge are due, pursuant to these rules.

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